

Hongkong Telegraph



THURSDAY, JUNE 7, 1894.

THIRTY DOLLARS PER ANNUM.

THE BANK OF CHINA, JAPAN, AND THE STRAITS, LIMITED.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL £2,000,000
CAPITAL PAID-UP £251,093.15.0

BANKERS:
CAPITAL & COUNTRIES BANK, LIMITED.

HEAD OFFICE:
No. 3, PRINCE STREET, LONDON.

BRANCHES:
BOMBAY, CALCUTTA, HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI.

AGENCIES:
PENANG, SINGAPORE AND YOKOHAMA.

RATES OF INTEREST:
ALLOWED ON CURRENT ACCOUNTS and Fixed Deposits can be ascertained on application.

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

CHARTERED INCHBALD, Manager.
Hongkong, 6th November, 1893. [210]

THE MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED.

AUTHORIZED CAPITAL £1,500,000
SUBSCRIBED £1,185,000

BANKERS:
LONDON JOINT STOCK BANK, LIMITED.

INTEREST ALLOWED ON CURRENT ACCOUNTS at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the Daily Balance.

ON FIXED DEPOSITS:
For 12 Months 5 per cent.
" 6 " 4 " "
" 3 " 3 " "

JOHN THURBURN, Manager, Hongkong.
Hongkong, 4th February, 1893. [30]

THE CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA AND CHINA.

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER, 1853.
HEAD OFFICE:—LONDON.

CAPITAL PAID-UP £800,000
RESERVE, LIABILITIES OF SHAREHOLDERS £800,000
RESERVE FUND £275,000

INTEREST ALLOWED ON CURRENT ACCOUNTS at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the Daily Balance.

ON FIXED DEPOSITS for 12 months 5 per cent.
" 6 " 4 " "
" 3 " 3 " "

A. C. MARSHALL, Manager, Hongkong.
Hongkong, 17th May, 1894. [563]

THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA, LIMITED.

AUTHORIZED CAPITAL £1,000,000
SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL £500,000

HEAD OFFICE:—HONGKONG.

Court of Directors:
D. Gillies, Esq., Chairman
Chao KH Shan, Esq., Vice-Chairman
H. Stollerfoht, Esq., Secretary

Chief Manager, GEO. W. F. PLAYFAIR.

Branches: London, Yokohama, Shanghai and Amoy.

BANKERS:
The Commercial Bank of Scotland, Paris Banking Co., and The Alliance Bank (Ld.)

Interest: 12 months Fixed, 5 per Cent.
Hongkong, 16th November, 1893. [7]

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION

OF VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE &c.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, ON SATURDAY, the 9th June, 1894, commencing at 2.30 P.M., at No. 69, WYNDHAM STREET.

The whole of the VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c.,

Comprising:—

DRAWING-ROOM SUITE in CRIMSON EMBROIDERED PLUSH, MARBLE-TOP and FANCY TABLES, CANTON BLACKWOOD, HANDSOME OVERMANTLES, CLOCKS, PICTURES, ORNAMENTS, CURTAINS, CARPETS, RUGS, &c.

ONE HANDSOME COTTAGE PIANO with INLAID FRONT and IRON FRAME, by JOHN BROADWOOD & SONS, newly new.

HAN DSO M. SID & BOARD with BEVELLED GLASS, DINNERS-WAGGON, BROADWAY UPHOLSTERED DINING CHAIRS, DINING TABLE, BOOK-CASE, LADY'S DESK, DINNER and DESSERT SERVICES, ELECTRO-PLATE and GLASSWARE, CUTLERY, &c.

DOUBLE IRON BEDSTEADS with patent WIRE and HAIR MATTRESSES, &c.

DOUBLE WARDROBES with BEVELLED GLASS DOORS, SINGLE WARDROBES, BED-ROOM SUITES, MARBLE-TOP WASH-STANDS and DRESSING TABLES, &c., &c.

BATH-ROOM REQUISITES, &c., &c.

Catalogues will be issued previous to the Sale. On View from Friday, the 8th Instant.

TERMS OF SALE:—Cash on delivery.

GEO. P. LAMBERT, Auctioneer.
Hongkong, 9th June, 1894. [189]

THE STANDARD ENDOWMENT ASSURANCE.

1. AMONG THE MANY ADVANTAGES of this form of Assurance, the following may be mentioned:—

(a)—It secures an immediate Provision for wife and family or other relatives in event of early death.

(b)—It provides a Fund for Retirement.

(c)—It supplies an excellent Investment for the regular accumulation of small fixed sums of money.

(d)—The Surrender and loan values are larger than under ordinary Policies.

2. AFTER THE POLICY HAS BEEN THREE YEARS IN FORCE—should the Policy-holder wish to discontinue future payments—he will be entitled to receive, on application, a FREE PAID-UP POLICY for a proportionate amount of the Sum Assured, as explained in the Prospectus.

Full particulars on application, **DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Agents, STANDARD LIFE OFFICE.**
Hongkong, 8th August, 1893. [747]

SOUTH BRITISH FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW ZEALAND.

THE Undersigned are prepared to accept FIRE and MARINE INSURANCES on favourable terms.

Current rates, and a guaranteed Bonus equal to that paid by the local Offices.

S. J. DAVID & Co., Agents.
Hongkong, 5th April, 1894. [435]

THE TOKYO MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

HEAD OFFICE:—TOKIO, JAPAN.

CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED £1,200,000
CAPITAL PAID-UP £600,000
GOVERNMENT GUARANTEE £400,000

RESERVE FUND, 30th June, 1893, £548,551
SPECIAL RESERVE, Do, £134,097

TOTAL RESERVE £682,648

THE Undersigned, Agents for the above Company, are prepared to accept RISKS at CURRENT RATES.

For THE MITSUI BUSSAN KAISHA, K. FUKUI, Manager.
Hongkong, 12th April, 1894. [485]

NOTICE.

THE MAN ON INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED

CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED £1,000,000

The above Company is prepared to accept MARINE RISKS at CURRENT RATES on Goods, &c. Policies granted to all Parts of the world payable at any of its Agencies.

CHAU TSEUNG FAT, Secretary.
HEAD OFFICE:
No. 2, QUEEN'S ROAD WEST.
Hongkong, 26th May, 1894. [180]

GENERAL NOTICE.

THE ON TAI INSURANCE COMPANY, (LIMITED).

CAPITAL, TAELS 600,000
EQUAL TO £333,333.33
RESERVE FUND £300,000.00

BOARD OF DIRECTORS:
LEE SING, Esq., LO YUEK MOON, Esq., LOU TAO SHUN, Esq.

MANAGER:—HO AMEL.

MARINE RISKS ON GOODS, &c., taken at CURRENT RATES to all parts of the world.

HEAD OFFICE, 8 & 9, PRAYA WEST.
Hongkong, 17th November, 1893. [97]

Intimations.

NOTICE.

ANY PERSONS having CLAIMS against the Estate of the late Captain GEORGE COLTHURST VESEY, 1st Shop hite Light Infantry, should send them in to me not later than the 25th instant, after which date no Claim will be entertained.

W. MACLAUGHLIN, Major, 1st Shop hite Light Infantry.
President Committee of Adjutant.
Murray Barracks, Hongkong, 6th June 1894. [660]

NOTICE.

FOUND STRAYING A FOX TERRIER BITCH, Brown Head and Black Spot on Tail. Owner can have same by applying at

6, WILD DELL.
Hongkong, 6th June, 1894. [662]

NOTICE.

I, THE Undersigned, will NOT BE RESPONSIBLE after this date for any DEBTS incurred by Mrs. ALFORD.

(Signed), **CHAS. ALFORD.**
Hongkong, 11th June 1894. [666]

HONGKONG TIMBER YARD, WANCHAI.

OREGON FINE SPARS and LUMBER Always on Hand.

L. MALLORY.
Hongkong, 6th June, 1894. [758]

Intimations.
LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.

ICE CREAM FREEZERS, ICE CHIPPERS AND CHISELS, ICE CHESTS.

ICE-WATER PITCHERS, ICE BOWLS, BUTTER-COOLERS.

FILTERS.

LEMON SQUEEZERS, LEMON JUICE EXTRACTORS.

WIND-PROOF LAMPS, VERANDAH LAMPS, PUNKAH LAMPS.

LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.

Hongkong, 3rd May, 1894.

THE HONGKONG HOTEL.

TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS, "Kremlo"—A. B. C. Code.—TELEPHONE, No. 32.

PROPRIETORS:—THE HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE HONGKONG HOTEL—the most commodious and best appointed Hotel in the Far East, affords unequalled accommodation to travellers and others. It is situated in the centre of the town, opposite the General Post Office and the Hongkong Club, adjacent to Pedder's Wharf (the principal landing stage of the Colony) and in close proximity to the Banks and Shipping Offices.

The HOTEL STEAM LAUNCH conveys passengers and baggage to and from all Mail Steamers. The TABLE D'HOTE, at separate tables, is supplied with every delicacy, the cuisine being under experienced supervision.

THE BED-ROOMS, with adjoining Bath-rooms, are lofty and well ventilated, open on to spacious Verandahs, are lighted by gas and fitted throughout with electric communications.

The Reading, Writing and Smoking Rooms, Ladies' Drawing Rooms, the new, Bar and public BILLIARD ROOMS (Six English and American Tables) are fitted with every convenience.

THE WINES & SPIRITS are selected by an Expert and the BEST BRANDS only are supplied. HYDRAULIC ASCENDING-ROOMS of the latest and most approved type convey passengers and baggage from the Entrance Hall to each of the five floors above.

NIGHT PORTERS and WATCHMEN are continually on duty.

R. TUCKER, Manager.
Hongkong, 17th November 1893. [223]

W. BREWER.

JUST RECEIVED.

LOYD'S MODERN ARTILLERY.

Tanner's Index of Diseases.

Seaton's Rules & Tables for Marine Engineers.

Murray's Guide to Japan.

Guide Australia and New Zealand.

Tolstol-Kingdom of God within you.

Smith's—Man the Primeval Savage.

Stromeyer—Marine Boiler Management.

Big Game Shooting—Badminton Library.

Middleton—Surveying & Surveying Instruments.

Locham—The Street of Human Habitations.

Walker's Chess Studies.

Lemaire—Indian Clubs.

W. BREWER, UNDER HONGKONG HOTEL.
Hongkong, 4th May, 1894. [40]

KELLY & WALSH, LD.

THE WORLD'S PARLIAMENT OF RELIGIONS.

BEING THE OFFICIAL REPORT OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE PARLIAMENT OF RELIGIONS, HELD AT CHICAGO FROM SEPTEMBER 11TH TO 27TH, 1893, IN CONNECTION WITH THE WORLD'S FAIR.

Two Volumes.....Price \$14.

THESE Volumes contain the full history of the movement, from the time of its inception to the close of the Parliament, extending over a period of two years.

All addresses and papers delivered at the Parliament were limited to half-an-hour each; in many cases the most valuable contributions were too long to admit of full reading; these are printed in full in the volumes. A case in point was the Essay of the Confucian Delegate, the Hon. PUNG KWANG YU, which occupies sixty-five pages in the first volume.

At the first Session the following distinctive faiths were represented: Christianity, embracing the Protestant, Episcopal, Roman Catholic, Greek and Armenian Churches; Synodism, both Northern and Southern; Jainism, Hinduism, Confucianism, Mohammedanism, Shintoism, Parseeism and Judaism.

This work so completely covers every phase of religious interest that—

NO MINISTER
NO THEOLOGIAN
NO SCHOLAR
NO TEACHER

CAN AFFORD TO BE WITHOUT IT.
Hongkong, 4th June, 1894. [6]

CENTRAL HOTEL, SHANGHAI.

Electric Lighting throughout the Premises.

Telegraphic Address:—"CENTRAL, SHANGHAI."

THIS long-established SELECT Family Hotel, situated on the Bund, facing the river in the centre of the Settlements, is now fitted with the latest modern improvements, including Bath and Dressing Rooms ATTACHED to Suites and Single Rooms, with hot and cold water laid on, DOUCHE, SHOWER, SPRAYS, etc., and heated to a comfortable temperature during winter.

COMMODOUS RECEPTION ROOM FOR VISITORS.

SEPARATE ROOMS FOR PRIVATE DINNER PARTIES, &c.
An Assistant attends on Passengers by Mail Steamers.

N.B.—Special reduced charges may be arranged for on application to the Manager.

Intimations.
THE STRAITS FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

REFERRING to the SECRETARY'S CIRCULAR dated 19th of May, SHAREHOLDERS are urged to take NO ACTION until they learn the views to be forwarded forthwith of the large number of Shareholders who press to Liquidate.

CECIL HOLLIDAY, Chairman.
Shanghai Local Committee.
Shanghai, 4th June, 1894. [653]

HONGKONG GENERAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

A SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING of the MEMBERS will be held on SATURDAY, the 9th instant, at Noon, at the CITY HALL, to NOMINATE a MEMBER of the CHAMBER to take the PLACE of the Hon. T. H. WHITEHEAD in the Legislative Council, during his absence from the Colony.

By Order, **F. HENDERSON, Secretary.**
Hongkong, 2nd June, 1894. [646]

EAST POINT DAIRY AND FARMING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

FRESH BUTTER 44 lbs. Per Fat...35 Cents.
FRESH CREAM 10 lbs. Per Bottle...40 Cents.

BY AN EXPERIENCED SHANGHAI BUTTER-MAN whose services have now been engaged by the Company.

A. RUMJAHN, Manager.
12, D'Agulhar Street, Hongkong, 31st May, 1894. [640]

THE PHARMACY.

FLETCHER & Co. Dispensing and Retail Chemists, Perfumers, Druggists, Sundries and Patent Medicine Vendors.

KEPLER'S MALT and OIL.....\$14.00
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SCOTT'S EMULSION.....\$13.00
SCOTT'S EMULSION.....\$13.00

TOILET ACCESSORIES:—
Perfume Bottles, Cut Crystal, Combs, Brushes, Sponges, Sponge Bags, Flesh Gloves

Perfumes:— Pinaud, Altkinson, Colgate, Rick-secker and Brown Perfumery Co.
Hongkong, 23rd September, 1893. [28]

"DERMATOL."

MANUFACTURED by FARBER, HICHERT & M.; its effect in stimulating the closing up of WOUNDS, and in internal administration against diarrhoea, is described as amazing.

D. R. KNORR'S ANTI-PYRINE.

(DOSE FOR ADULTS 15 TO 35 GRAINS TROY.)

Is the most approved and most efficacious remedy in cases of HEADACHE, MIGRAINE, NEURALGIA, RHEUMATISM, FEVER, TYPHUS, INFLUENZA, DENGUE, ERYSIPELAS, HOOPING COUGH, and many other complaints. It is also the very best Antiseptic. Highly recommended by the Medical Faculty. Ask for Dr. KNORR'S ANTI-PYRINE! Each Tin bears the inventor's signature "Dr. KNORR" in red letters.

To be had at every reputed Chemist and Druggist.

Supplies constantly on hand at the China Export Import and Bank Company, Beware of spurious imitations.

Hongkong, 7th April, 1894. [446]

CHAMPAGNES.

THE Undersigned have been appointed Agents for Messrs. ERNEST IKROY & Co.'s brands of Champagne at this Port and in China:—

CARTE D'OR.
per 6 mag. per 1 doz. q's. per 2 doz. plnts. \$33 \$31 \$33

CARTE BLANCHE.
per 1 dozen quarts. per 2 dozen plnts. \$28 \$30

CALBECK, MACGREGOR & Co., Wine and Spirit Merchants.
Hongkong, 21st May, 1894. [607]

WINE and SPIRIT MERCHANTS.

HONGKONG, SHANGHAI, LONDON AND GLASGOW.

13, QUEEN'S ROAD, Hongkong, 24th August, 1894. [26]

J. W. KEW & CO'S STEAM WATER BOATS.

PURE FRESH WATER.

THE attention of SHIPOWNERS, AGENTS and CAPTAINS is called to the Superior Quality of TITAN FILTERED WATER offered by J. W. KEW & Co., also to the advantages derived from their being able to Supply their Water in one-fourth the time occupied by the old fashioned and obsolete hand pumps. No impeding the loading or discharging of Cargo.

Call on J. W. Kew & Co., 40, Commercial Road, Hongkong, 9th March, 1894. [64]

Steamers.
DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR AMOY AND TAMSUI.

THE Company's Steamship

"FOKION."
Captain Davis, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-MORROW, the 8th instant, at Noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LARPAIK & Co., General Managers.
Hongkong, 7th June, 1894. [664]

KONINKLYKE MAATSCHAPPY.

FOR BATAVIA, SAMARANG AND SOERABAYA.

THE Company's Steamship

"BANTAM."
Captain Reiniers, will be despatched as above on TUESDAY, the 12th instant, at 3 P.M. For Freight, apply to LAUTS, WEGENER & Co., Agents.
Hongkong, 4th June, 1894. [652]

"SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR NAGASAKI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA.

THE Steamship

"CARDIGANSHIRE."
Captain Sincroff, will be despatched as above on or about TUESDAY, the 13th instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Agents.
Hongkong, 2nd June, 1894. [648]

AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

UNDER MAIL CONTRACT WITH THE AUSTRIAN GOVERNMENT.

STEAM TO SHANGHAI AND KOBE.

THE Company's Steamship

"MELPOMENE."
Captain L. Brelich, will leave for the above places on WEDNESDAY, the 13th instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to SANDER & Co., Agents.
Hongkong, 6th June, 1894. [661]

SAILING VESSELS.

FOR NEW YORK.

THE 3/3 I. I. L. American Bark

"EDWARD MAY."
McClure, Master, will leave for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to SHEWAN & Co.
Hongkong, 17th March, 1894. [363]

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

THE 100 A. I. Fish Ship

"MATTERHORN."
Williams, Master, will leave for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to SHEWAN & Co.
Hongkong, 12th May, 1894. [573]

Consignees.

OCCIDENTAL AND ORIENTAL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

NOTICE.

suggestion is that the colonies should proportionately share the control of the defence forces.

May 8th.
The *Daily Chronicle* interpreting the action of Major Owen in hoisting the British flag at Wadial as the expression of an intention on the part of the Imperial Government to undertake the direct control and administration of that portion of Equatorial Africa doubts the prudence of the step. The writer admits the prescriptive right of Great Britain to Central Africa gained by early exploration and missionary effort, but (says that the declaration of a protectorate over Wadial at the present juncture will be regarded by the Mahdists as a deliberate challenge to hostilities.

May 10th.
Thirty thousand miners have been locked out in Scotland for refusing to submit to a reduction of wages.
A high speed electric railway was opened yesterday at Nantes in the North of France. The train which was drawn by a Helmholtz electric motor travelled at the rate of 75 miles an hour.

NEWS BY THE CANADIAN MAIL.

LONDON, May 11th.
In addition to the speech already summarized, Lord Rosebery, in addressing the National Liberal Club on Wednesday evening, said: "The responsibility of office is not agreeable to all of us. It is an arduous and even thankless task, but we are bound to remember not ourselves but those who placed us there; but to remember the six years' arduous work done by the Liberals of the country; bound to remember the sacrifices they have made to place us on the front bench, and we are determined to deserve the confidence we have placed in us. We may forfeit it; we may cease to possess it; but while we possess it, as we believe we do now, we will fight the battle to the end, the combat to the conclusion."
Later in the evening, Lord Rosebery said: "We have no reason to lose faith in our cause or position. We entered office with the certain prospect of bringing to realize our cause. First, we had to face the fact of the advanced age of our great leader. His age has told. He stands aside, but the expectations of our opponents regarding that contingency were signally disappointed. They hoped that within a week of Mr. Gladstone's resignation the Government would fall to pieces, but we find no inclination to fall to pieces. They also expected that a party formed of so many groups would soon become a minority. We admit the possibility, but the group now in ascendency, I trust, will play an ill-judged and possibly disastrous part towards their cause if they take the part they indicate. That is their affair. Ours is that the Liberal Government shall not forsake the helm because the storm happens to lower."
The convention of the Irish National League to-morrow will be devoted to an attempt to adjust the differences of the factions. P. O'Connor will probably be elected president.

NEW YORK, May 11th.
Whitehead Reid returned from his trip to San Francisco a few days ago, and yesterday when he came to this city from his farm he was met to be enthusiastic about Republican chances at the next election. In answer to a question he said:

"Baird the unfortunate condition of the country, politics are lovely. This is the biggest kind of a Republican year."

"But the Republicans here are all split up and fighting?"
"Both; you will find more Republicans together on election day than you have seen on any previous day during your life. The more row over re-organization the more voters. It's the old dead-and-alive state of things that is to be feared. Not the active, aggressive fighting spirit that now betokens a winning campaign."

BERLIN, May 11th.
The authorities will subject the bullet proof coat invented by Herr Dowe, the Mannheim tailor, to further tests for the purpose of ascertaining whether it will protect men in foreign and ship battles."

The *Vorwärts*, a German newspaper, commenting on Greaser's statement at Samoa, says that he said of America will apply equally to Germany. The latter can gain no honour or advantage. The *Post* says the Pacific squadron of German warships has been ordered to Samoa.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 11th.
The police learn that the Nihilists arrested recently were engaged in a plot to blow up a number of cathedrals at the Greek church Easter celebration.

OTTAWA, May 11th.
Sir C. H. Tupper received the report of the commander of the *Patrol* this morning, as the seizure of American steamers at Point Pelee. The commander says that the boats were fishing in illegal waters. They put in the defence of being sportmen, but it is said it can be proved that they were catching and selling fish.

ATHENS, May 11th.
The foundation of a temple and the remains of a theatre have been discovered among the ruins of the ancient city of Eretria.

LIVERPOOL, May 12th.
The annual convention of the Irish National League of Great Britain opened to-day. Many Irish leaders were present. The treasurer's report showed the income of the league for the year to be £3,300. Addresses were made urging continuation of allegiance to the Liberals.

EDINBURGH, May 12th.
By the premature explosion of one of the small sailing guns of the cruiser *Cadmus*, while sailing the German squadron which arrived here to-day, Gun Instructor Lawrence was killed and Gun Instructor Whitehead and two seamen were injured.

Home Secretary Asquith has positively refused to order the release of Mrs. Maybrick, serving a life sentence for poisoning her husband.

BOSTON, Mass., May 12th.
James T. Flood was today shot and probably fatally wounded by Edward Cahill, who then committed suicide by shooting himself in the head. It is said the shooting was the result of the circulation of stories by Flood regarding malpractice in which Cahill was said to be connected.

NEW YORK, May 12th.
The Northern Pacific railroad inquiry was continued to-day. Secretary Elder, of the Northern American Co., was the only witness. He produced a record showing in detail the amount of the individual subscriptions received to the Chicago and Northern Pacific bonds to the extent of \$9,491,000, which he was unable to find yesterday. The list cleared things up for Villard and their associates in their various transactions considerably, and showed to whom the bonds were sold and the dates of the transfers.

WASHINGTON, May 12th.
The report of the sub-committee on the action of Judge Jenkins in restraining the employees of the Northern Pacific from striking, was discussed informally by the judiciary committee yesterday. No action was taken.

May 12th.
The Corcoran, owing to the indisposition of the spirit conveyed by the people of Hyattsville, accepted the offer of a yard surrounding the famous old George Washington house at Blenheim and moved to that place this morning.

Some excitement was noted in the home to-day by a colored man showing in the speaker from the gallery that if the Corcoran bill was not

passed the White House treasury and capitol would be destroyed by lightning.

OAKLAND, Cal., May 14th.
The funeral of William S. Paisley, late colonel of the second regiment of the industrial army, who was killed at Rocklin by a Corvair's F. C. on Friday, was held here yesterday afternoon. The funeral was attended by over 2,000 people.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., May 14th.
Sheriff Conroy, of Placer, came here yesterday to take to Auburn Constable Fleckenstein for examination on the charge of murdering William S. Paisley, of the industrial army. The industrialists say they will stay at Rocklin until they know the result of the examination, and the district attorney wants to hasten matters. The supposition is that if the constable should be discharged they intend to mob him.

CHICAGO, May 14th.
A week from to-day is the date set for the opening of the proceedings that are to determine the sanity or insanity of Patrick Eugene Prendergast, the murderer of Mayor Harrison, but a vague rumour has it that at that time another application for postponement will be made by his defence. For the last few weeks he has conducted himself as rationally as any other inmate of the county jail, and there is not a man that is brought into contact with him that regards him as insane, or even eccentric, except so far as regards his atrocious temper.

MONTREAL, Que., May 14th.
It is understood the Countess of Aberdeen will not leave for England until May 25th.

TORONTO, May 14th.
Justice Robertson this morning gave judgment in the Sharon poisoning case. He sentenced Mrs. Lottie Evans, wife of Walter Evans, the victim of the conspiracy, to ten years in the penitentiary, and George Osman, who aided her, to two years.

QUEBEC, May 14th.
Count de Villeneuve took his departure yesterday afternoon by the steamship *Yamoussou* for France in charge of Captain Talbot. He left the goal at eight o'clock in custody of Sergeant Burke, and on his arrival at the steamer's tender was met by his lady sympathizer, Mrs. Dillon. The latter attempted to speak to the count, but was refused permission by the sergeant. On arriving at the steamer the count was shown his quarters in the intermediate, while Mrs. Dillon, who goes to France, took a cabin among the saloon passengers. Both appeared to be in the best of spirits.

WATERVILLE, Wash., May 12th.
A brutal outrage, or a fearful act of terrorism, was perpetrated upon the person of a young man only 18 or 19 years of age named Howland, living some three miles south of town, on Friday afternoon last. There is a tendency to mystification on the part of the victim that adds materially to the sensation surrounding the case. Young Howland was brought into town about 5 o'clock on Friday evening. He was suffering from horrible mutilation. A local physician administered to the sufferer, and he is now rapidly recovering. He gave a very unsatisfactory account of the affair. He said that seven men, mounted on horseback, stopped him near his father's place, and two of the party seized him and, without a word, hastily and cruelly committed the mutilation. Howland claimed that he did not know one of his assailants, nor could he describe their appearance. A strange feature is that he walked out his own home on his way to town without informing his father of his condition. He managed to reach a neighbour, a mile beyond his home, where he became exhausted, and was compelled to procure assistance. He holds strictly to the original story, but it is not believed by the community.

THE KNAVE OF DIAMONDS.

"Documents of all kinds altered so as to defy detection. Letters skillfully opened and resealed. Handwriting imitated to perfection. Signatures a specialty. Moderate terms and profound secrecy."

To some such tone might have run Yee Wang's advertisements, had not that great artist been deterred by an unfortunate prejudice of society from letting his light shine before men. Upon Yee Wang in the flesh no user of his skill had ever yet set eyes, which was why—though not at all clandestine and, sooner or later, into disastrous collision with the justice of a foreign—accomplished Yee Wang's peaceful way, as untrodden of the law as of his conscience.

Scarcely ten feet square was Yee's skylighted den, be-shelved and pigeon-holed from floor to ceiling, and stuffy with tobacco, tea and opium. The opium-lamp, in fact, stood ever on the table, nor had 30 years of smoking dulled one whit the brilliancy of his candle-coloured little man with Europeanized grizzling hair and a long peninsula of his grey beard.

A scuffle in the ante-room—an unwelcome sound of voices—and lo! Yee Wang's professional incognito was broken at last! A woman walked in upon him—tall, closely-veiled, and plumply excited, but none the less determined. Behind her grinning and jabbered Yee's faithful sentinel, taken thus for the first time off his guard. But the old man's wit was quick. In an instant he had slipped round the table—through the intruder in the jacket—locked the door behind him and put his back against it. The woman eyed him through her veil, and quailed a little. The little bird-like man—long-clawed and bright-eyed—was dangerous!

"No harm, John!" she said. "Only my want to write me something! That all!"
"Yes, Wang cackled. "Sit down, madam! If you wish to speak to me in English or Dutch or Spanish, or Malay—I am at your service in whichever you please! Do I understand you to say you want something written for you?"

The grinning woman set down. "Yes!" she said. "I know that old idiot outside couldn't be the man I wanted, so I pushed my way in." Yee Wang came to the table. "Something in Malay you want, no doubt? or is it in Chinese?"

The woman recovered her arrogance. "Non-sense!" she said. "It's English I want written, in a particular handwriting—in this!" and she held out a letter.

The Chinaman took it. "The signature?" he asked. "Do you want that imitated, too?"

"Of course!"

"Foggy, madam!—foggy!"

"I know it! But I was told that you—if you were well paid, of course—

"Would risk to do 15 years of the Andamans? You have been grossly imposed upon, madam! Let me wish you good-day—and better advice!" And Yee Wang unlocked the door.

Mrs. Harrison—the letter had told the Chinaman her name—stared at him for a moment, sprang up, and went without another word. Yee Wang cackled softly again, took from within the desk a letter, the pencilled draft of another, absorbed it to the end, replaced it, and then, as he looked at his watch, he saw that it was half past five.

cheque-books of every bank in India, China, and the Peninsula, and special stationery of every leading firm in Singapore and Malacca, but also an indexed multitude of letters, procured by the medium of the expert sneak-thieves in the world—his Singapore companions. Ere long Yee found what he wanted—some headed paper of Harrison Bros. and an autograph letter of the senior partner in that great American concern. With these at hand, Yee Wang set down to commit to paper the words of the pencilled draft he had glanced at the bearer—his wife—the diamond bracelet completed last week to my order.—Wilberforce F. Harrison. To Messrs. Van Houten & Groot, Jewellers."

Yee Wang lit his pipe and ruminated. Gay dog, Wilberforce Harrison! all Singapore knew that! Bracelet not for his wife! Wife wanted to get hold of it, and thus have a pull upon the fatless one. "Now, wherein could all this be manipulated into the person and use and benefit of Yee Wang?" asked that ingenious Pagan of himself. Two minutes brought the answer, and then, with several pens and various inks, the expert addressed himself to the production of two documents which were to have important consequences. In half-an-hour the job was finished, and, solacing himself once more with the "drowsy syrup of the East," Yee Wang descended to his subject cubicle, and there upon his ancient pen-knife he wrote such wondrous changes that his mother—had that excellent heathen lady been alive—would have repudiated him as of an alien race. From dirty quill-colour he changed his face to brightest lemon, shaved his beard, blacked his thin moustache, and conferred upon himself an arching pair of jetty eyebrows. He clipped close his portentous finger-nails, arrayed himself in snowy drill and spottish topee, and, thus equipped, went forth upon the warpath.

"Messrs. Van Houten, Groot—I had intended to call to-day for the bracelet, but as I have some unexpected business to attend to, I hereby authorize you to deliver over the article to the bearer, Mr. Lathi Tal, my confidential clerk, who will countersign enclosed receipt.—Wilberforce F. Harrison."

Letter and receipt were on the firm's business-paper; the signatures were beyond dispute; and then, when the acknowledged the irrefragable-looking Pencil gentleman had appended his sign-manual, the jewellers handed him the bracelet without a qualm—the more readily that it was already paid for. But, ten minutes after the smiling Lathi Tal had vanished, like a thunder-bolt upon the heads of Van Houten Groot descended the purport of a document which that confidential person must have accidentally dropped in the shop.

"Recorded from Mrs. W. F. Harrison, upon handing over to her diamond bracelet obtained by me from Van Houten Groot, the sum of Rs. 1000.—Lathi Tal."

"Der skoonlet!" spluttered old Van Houten, smiling down upon his bald Dutch pate. "He must have had der rezed all retty to gift dat moon, and he never know he-trop it here!"

But Lathi Tal—which it is to say, Yee Wang—knew very well where he had dropped it, and had calculated the result of the finding thereof. Which was, that after Lathi Tal had procured the bracelet, which, considering he didn't exist, was not surprising—the disgraced Harrison, disbelieving utterly his wife's protestations, made no further loss about the bracelet, although, to soothe his wounded purse and feelings, he sent the jewellers for the price of the undelivered article. "Delivered to his wife through her agent," contended those level-headed Dutchmen, and thus arose the famous "Bracelet Case," which, rising by degrees in costs and costs, finally ended in the Privy Council decision that there could be no decision, and that each side should pay its by-the-time-prodigious whack of the expenses.

The bracelet long ere then was a bracelet no longer. By way of Batavia it had found its way to Amsterdam, from which emporium of diamonds its stones were scattered far and wide; to the ultimate satisfaction, at least of Yee Wang's balance with the Bank of Cathay.—"Alex. Montgomery" in *Sydney Bulletin*.

SCOTT'S Emulsion of Pure Cod Liver Oil with Hypophosphites, is more reliable as an agent in the cure of Consumption, Bronchitis and General Debility, than any other remedy known to medical science. Read the following receipt prescribed "Scott's Emulsion" and have also taken it myself, and can fully endorse the opinion that it is both palatable and efficient, and can be tolerated by almost any one—especially where Cod Liver Oil itself cannot be borne.

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Today's Advertisements.

CUSTOMS NOTIFICATION.
No. 56.
ON behalf of the SHANGHAI COMMISSIONER OF CUSTOMS, the Under signed begs to Notify for the information of all whom it may concern as follows:—

CUSTOM HOUSE, SHANGHAI, 6th June, 1894.
At the request of the Treaty, Acting in accordance with recommendations of the Consular Body, the Harbour Master is issuing a Notification requiring ALL VESSELS from HONGKONG and CANTON to anchor Two Miles below Harbour limits.

They will then be INSPECTED by the HEALTH OFFICER, and ALL SUSPECTED BAGGAGE will be opened and DISINFECTED with SULPHUR VAPOUR.
In the general interest of Passengers, Special attention is drawn to the precautionary measures last mentioned.

H. ELGAR HOBSON, Commissioner of Customs for Kowloon and District.
Custom House, Kowloon, 7th June, 1894. [670]

"MOGUL" LINE OF STEAMERS.
FOR SHANGHAI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA.
THE Steamship

"TARTAR."
Captain Bailey, will be despatched as above on or about WEDNESDAY, the 13th instant.
For Freight or Passage, apply to DODD, KALLIL & Co., Agents.
Hongkong, 7th June, 1894. [665]

"STRATH" LINE OF STEAMERS.
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F on, Hong, 26th April, 1894.

Today's Advertisements.
GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.
THE following Letter is Published for General Information.
By Command,
J. H. STEWART LOCKHART,
Acting Colonial Secretary.
Colonial Secretary's Office,
Hongkong, 6th June, 1894. [669]

H. M. CONSULATE,
HONGKONG, 1st June, 1894.
SIR,—I have the honour to inform you that the Chinese Authorities at this Port have imposed PROVISIONAL QUARANTINE RESTRICTIONS ON ALL VESSELS arriving from HONGKONG, CANTON, or OTHER PLACES where INFECTIOUS DISEASE OF AN EPIDEMIC CHARACTER PREVAILS.
All arrivals will be BOARDED and INSPECTED by the MEDICAL OFFICER of the PORT. Vessels on board which any cases of INFECTIOUS DISEASE or DEATHS have occurred during the voyage hither, will be subjected to SEVEN (7) DAYS' QUARANTINE, but IF FREE from DISEASE throughout the voyage will be AT ONCE admitted to pratique.
I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient Servant,
P. F. HAUSER,
Acting Consul.
To the Colonial Secretary, &c., &c., &c.,
Hongkong.

GOVERNMENT BILLS.
TENDERS for SPECIE—MEXICAN DOLLARS Current in this Colony, and weighing 7.17, in Exchange for Sterling Bills drawn at 10 days sight on the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, London, will be received by the Chief Paymaster, Army Pay Department, until 11 A.M. on MONDAY, the 11th June, 1894.
The Tenders to state the total amount required (in Pounds Sterling), and the amount for which each Bill should be drawn, but no Bills will be issued for sums less than £100.
The Tenders to be in duplicate, and in sealed covers, addressed to the Chief Paymaster, Army Pay Department, and endorsed "Tenders for Government Bills."
The right to accept or reject any or all of the Tenders is reserved.
WILLIAM L. BARR,
Colonel,
Chief Paymaster, China.
Her Majesty's Treasury Office,
Queen's Road,
Hongkong, 4th June, 1894. [666]

SPECIAL NOTICE.
THE "HONGKONG TELEGRAPH" will be on sale at the Hongkong and Victoria Hotels, opposite the Hongkong Club, and at Padders' Wharf, EVERY EVENING from 5.30 to 7.30 o'clock.
PRICETEN CENTS.
Copies ordered from the Office will be charged the usual rate—3d PER COPY.
Advertisements are reminded that the *Hongkong Telegraph* has by far the largest circulation of any English newspaper published in the Far East. THIS IS GUARANTEED. Terms of application:—
Hongkong, 14th October, 1893.

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VICTORIA CHAPTER.
No. 545.
A REGULAR CONVOCATION of the above CHAPTER will be held in the FREEMASONS' Hall, Zealand Street, on FRIDAY, the 15th instant, at 8.30 p.m. precisely. Visiting Companions are cordially invited.
Hongkong, 6th June, 1894. [663]

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10.—Sutton & Co.
11.—Telegraph Companies.
12.—Telegraph Companies' Mess.
13.—Temporary Hospital, West Point.
14.—Tung Kee & Co., Wing Lok Street.
15.—Tung Wah Hospital.
16.—Watson & Co., Queen's Road.
17.—Watson & Co., Shuen, Peak.
18.—Victoria Hotel, Public Telephone.
19.—Wickham, W. H., Residence.
20.—Wong & Co.
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Hongkong, 9th April, 1894. [451]
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